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**COMMUNICATION FORWARDING DECLARATION
AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 12, 2004, setting a two-month period for reply. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.136(a) and 1.17(a), it is respectfully requested that the period for reply be extended one month, i.e., up to and including August 12, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Late Declaration Surcharge in the amount of \$130.00, and the required fee of \$110.00 for the extension of time to Deposit Account 50-0320.

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672601-2001**REMARKS**

The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application required the submission of an executed declaration and the associated surcharge. It is respectfully submitted that these requirements are satisfied by the enclosures herein.

CONCLUSION

In view of the remarks and enclosures herein, it is respectfully submitted that the application now complies with all requirements set forth in the Notice. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application is earnestly solicited.

Should additional fees be necessary in connection with the filing of this paper the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0320 for any such fees.